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REDUCING PRODUCTION OF ABERRANT PRODUCTS DURING RNA SYNTHESIS

## AMENDMENT

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## I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action dated 17 April 2007. Submitted herewith is the fee due under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3), constituting a request for a three-month extension of time for the period from 18 July 2007 through 17 October 2007.